Docket No. 396.46365X00 Serial No. NEW July 25, 2006

REMARKS

Applicants are amending their claims, prior to calculation of the filing fee, in light of amendments made to claims in International (PCT) Application

No. PCT/JP2005/000703, such amendments having been made under Article 34. It is to be noted that the above-identified application is a National Stage application filed under 35 USC 371, of No. PCT/JP2005/000703.

In addition, the claims of the above-identified application have been further amended to delete multiple dependency.

Entry of the present amendments, prior to calculation of the filing fee; and, subsequent thereto, examination of the above-identified application on the merits in due course, are respectfully requested.

Applicants request any shortage of fees due in connection with the filing of this paper be charged to the Deposit Account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (case 396.46365X00), and please credit any excess fees to such Deposit Account.

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